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Soldiers And Girls Made Available To Help With Harvest

CROPS WILL BE HARVESTED
ALL RIGHT, REPRE-
SENTATIVE THINKS

GIRLS ARE READY

Girls may be called in to help with the harvest in this district, The Era learned from W. M. Cockburn, York county agricultural representative.

Quite a few girls and young women, many of them brought up on farms though now living or teaching in towns or cities, are available for farm work. Others have no experience whatever.

These girls are made available by the Ontario department of labor through the agricultural representative's office. Miss Thompson, a district supervisor, visited Mr. Cockburn this week to inquire into the needs of this district.

"Some farmers are just praying for help," said Mr. Cockburn. "The soldiers' harvest leave will be a real help. Soldiers with farm experience will be allowed

EMPLOYEES WISH TO AVOID INSURANCE

There will be a special meeting of the town council this afternoon at 5 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting is to certify that certain municipal employees are permanent, thus exempting them from unemployment insurance. Similar exemption is not available to employees of private business.

four weeks' leave to work on farms.

"I think some of the boys will take the opportunity to come home for some real home cooking," chuckled Mr. Cockburn.

"All crops will be harvested in this district," Mr. Cockburn thought. "The harvest is not as heavy to handle as in some years, and getting started early is a help."

"In addition, there are a few combines being purchased. Neglect as a result of labor shortage will be of fencing and other routine summer jobs."

Lions Tell Proud Story Of Wise And Kindly Spending

MONEY FROM LAST YEAR'S CARNIVAL HELPED WORTHY CAUSES

Announcing their carnival for Wednesday, Aug. 20, members of the Newmarket Lions club can give a proud account of their stewardship during the past year, according to Secretary H. E. Gilroy.

In the first place, the public is reminded, all strictly club activities were carried on with funds paid in as membership dues.

Money subscribed by the public was used, with the co-operation of doctors, dentists and hospitals, as follows: 12 eye examinations, five pairs of glasses, eight children supplied with cod liver oil, ten tonsil operations, 11 dental cases.

Money was given for the following purposes: Newmarket, England, Spitfire fund, \$50; Red Cross fund, \$150; Soldiers' comforts fund, \$100; Newmarket Children's Welfare, \$50; Lions British Child War Victims' fund, \$200; Ontario Society for Crippled Children, \$10; Santa Claus parade, \$25.

In addition, the public subscribed \$550 for the Christmas fund for Newmarket children.

NEWMARKET'S GIFT IS NOW PATROLLING SKIES

"Newmarket, England, to Newmarket, Canada," is the salutation on a letter received by Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales from L. D. Gilbert, chairman of the Newmarket and Racing Industries Fund, under date of June 25.

The letter follows: "We the people of Newmarket wish to thank the people of Newmarket, Canada, for their magnificent gift of £100 towards our Spitfire Fund. I can assure you that this gift is appreciated most sincerely by everyone connected with the raising of this fund."

This fund is now completed and we hope shortly to hear that our 'Blue Peter' is in action and taking his toll of the Hun, at the same time we realize the great assistance which has been received from Newmarket, Canada."

I now wish to ask you if at any time you have anyone coming from Newmarket, Canada, to England, if possible to come and see me and I will be pleased to try and do what I can for them, again thanking you all for your kindness."

JOINS R.C.A.F.

Lorne Ramsay of Sharon has joined the air force as transport driver, and reports for duty at the end of this month.

MAYOR MARKS ANNIVERSARY

From The Era of July 21, 1916: Dales-Wesley—At the home of the bride's parents, on July 18, 1916, by Rev. T. W. Neal of Toronto, Dr. Lowell W. Dales, son of Professor and Mrs. J. N. Dales of Drayton, to Miss Beatrice L., only daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Wesley of Newmarket.

The happy couple left on an extended motor trip. "At home" at Aurora after the 1st of October.

Summer's Big Event Is Next Wednesday

St. John's garden party takes place next Wednesday, July 23, and, with the soldiers in town, is expected to be an even bigger and gayer affair than usual.

St. John's garden party is recognized as the principal event of its kind during the summer months in Newmarket, and is looked forward to annually. A full-course dinner, music, games, booths, all these attractions and a few extras are promised.

ASK HOLIDAY HOMES FOR NEEDY CHILDREN

The following appeal to northern York county people for help in providing holidays for Toronto boys and girls is sent by Miss M. Colver, fresh air work supervisor for the Neighborhood Workers Association.

"An 11-year-old boy war guest; a little five-year-old girl whose daddy is in the army; two small youngsters whose mother is ill; these and many more are entered on the 'urgent' list at the country homes department of the Neighborhood Workers Association, Toronto.

"Sending more than 1,000 children to private homes within a radius of 150 miles from Toronto for a two weeks' vacation is an annual project of the Neighborhood Workers Association. This year, according to F. N. Stapleford, Neighborhood Workers Association, general secretary, the need is just as urgent as ever.

"You can do your bit by writing immediately to the Country Homes Department, Neighborhood Workers Association, 22 Wellesley St., Toronto, stating how many children, what age and sex you prefer, when you want them to arrive, where they will be met, etc., enclosing with your invitation a letter from your local clergyman.

"The children are ready to leave now. Do not delay!"

Lake Simcoe Softball League Standing to July 15

	P	W	L	T	Pts.
Mount Albert	7	6	1	0	12
Pine Orchard	7	5	2	0	10
Sharon	8	4	4	0	8
Keswick	7	2	4	1	5
Willow Beach	6	1	4	1	3
Zephyr	6	1	5	0	2
Two games were postponed.					

HAMILTON REUNION HELD AT KETTLEBY

A reunion of the descendants of Clarkson Hambleton was held on Sunday at the old homestead, Clifton Farm, Kettleby, the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Maginn, with relatives attending from London, Galt, Barrie, Courtenay, Toronto and Aurora.

The oldest member present was Mrs. Elizabeth Aull of Toronto, 81 years of age, and the youngest, Billie Norris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Norris of Barrie, who is four years old.

Good Citizen Lays Down His Tools For Last Time

Funeral services were held this afternoon for John Henry Giles, who died at his home, 76 Prospect Ave., Tuesday morning.

In his 64th year, Mr. Giles went to work as usual on Monday, and worked about his own property on Monday evening. He suffered a heart attack shortly after midnight and died about five hours later.

Born in Queensville, and brought up there, Mr. Giles farmed as a young man at Holt, where he married Alfie Case 38 years ago. He gave up farming to become a motorman and a conductor on the Metropolitan railway, running from Toronto to Sutton, and made his home in Newmarket.

He served with the Metropolitan railway for 13 years, and for the last 13 years had been working for the Office Specialty.

His interests were in his home and his garden, where a weed hadn't a chance, and in town sports. He was a regular attendant at the ball games, and hardly ever missed a game. Whenever Cliff (Speedy) Giles played, the father was there too.

Surviving, besides his wife, are a brother, William, Sydenham, four sisters, Mrs. Wm. Menar (Lbbie), Newmarket, Mrs. Fred Leacock (Georgina), Bogartown, Mrs. George King (Mabel), Sharon, and Mrs. Seymour Andrews (Nellie), Newmarket, three sons and a daughter, Kenneth, Mrs. Wm. Muirhead (Deane), Clifford and Jack, all of Newmarket.

Rev. Burton Hill of the Friends church, with which the family is affiliated, conducted the service. Pallbearers were Clarence Case, Newmarket, Walter Case, Mount Albert, Fred Case, Sharon, Frank Case, Mount Albert, Christopher Jones, Sharon, George Pegg, Sharon.

Interment was in Newmarket cemetery.

British Children Need All Help You Can Give

Gifts may be made to the Lions British Child War Victims' fund through this newspaper, any member of the Lions club, H. M. Gladman or H. E. Lam-

bert.

The money, every cent of it, goes to Britain for children's war relief work under the supervision of Her Majesty, Queen Elizabeth.

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BUILT HALF CENTURY AGO



Newmarket's Alexander Muir school will mark its 50th anniversary this fall. The school

THINK BEER WOULD HURT WAR EFFORT

KESWICK WOMEN ARE
CONCERNED OVER
APPROACHING VOTE

HEAR ARTICLE READ

The following article from the June issue of the Temperance Advocate was read at a recent meeting of the Keswick Women's Christian Temperance Union and was forwarded to The Era for publication.

"It is mooted in the press that the town of Newmarket is to have a local option vote. Newmarket became a dry town in 1910, eliminating at that time the licenses in four hotels.

"The object of the present movement is to make it possible to have beer-rooms in the town.

"Under ordinary circumstances this would be a matter primarily of local interest, concerning the town itself and its immediate vicinity. As things stand today, however, this is not the case. It directly concerns homes in a much wider area. Moreover, the coming of beer-rooms to Newmarket would tend to undo one of the things the department of defence has sought to secure and is an attack on Canada's efforts to attain war fitness.

"There has been established in the immediate vicinity of Newmarket a trainee camp. Some thousand young men just 21 years of age are regularly gathered there for military training.

"The department of defence, when it adopted compulsory military training for defence and set up these camps, decreed that they should be without wet canteries. It is reported that very few of these men go elsewhere after beer. The result has been good health, very little trouble with discipline and very creditable results in training."

"The question of beer-rooms in Newmarket cannot, as things stand, be considered apart from the presence of these thousand men just merging into citizenship. The coming of beer-rooms would inevitably bring temptation to these young men. It would result in a considerable number of them learning to drink, with a lessening of efficiency and, in some cases, unfortunate, if not disastrous, personal results.

"The presence of beer-rooms in Newmarket will deeply wound many of the patriotic citizens of the province whose homes have furnished the splendid youths that make up these camps. It will also tend to undo the work of the defence department in making these camps dry. It will so far as it succeeds in increasing the consumption of liquor, weaken Canada's war effort.

"In addition it will inevitably bequeath to the country an entail of damaged and less capable manhood for the post-war years.

"Under the Ontario Liquor Control Act, the securing of a petition signed by 25 per cent of the electors does not compel the liquor board to order a vote. Even a vote in favor of beer-rooms does not compel the board to grant authorities unless in its judgment it is desirable to do so. The board has the power to decline for any reason it likes the granting of authorities.

"The Ontario government has declared its desire to aid in the fullest possible degree the war effort of Canada. The government of the province is at present dependent upon liquor for a percentage of its revenue. To relinquish this might occasion temporary embarrassment. This situation, however, does not at all justify the increasing of facilities for the sale of liquor at the present time with the enlargement of consumption, its drain upon financial resources and its inevitable lessening of industrial output and of military fitness.

"Will not the Ontario government, in the interest of Canada and the empire, even if it is reluctant to lessen existing sale, at least in the interest of Canada's war effort and the tremendous issues at stake, withhold its consent to the extension of facilities for sale and the inevitable increased consumption of liquor resulting therefrom?"

NEWMARKET VETERANS PLAN BOXING SHOW

Newmarket Veterans have a boxing show up their sleeve. It's the right sleeve, and there will be a real punch in it. Proceeds will go to the association treasury, which is responsible for a lot of good welfare and patriotic work quietly done.

President Bill White announces the date as Friday, Aug. 1, and adds, "You keep the date open and I'll seat a seat for you."

Buy Era printing for satisfaction.

Over 60 Per Cent Of Trainees Here Enlist For Active Service

ACTIVE SERVICE MEN CHOOSE OWN BRANCH OF SERVICE

VOLUNTEERS ARE 223

Two hundred and twenty-three trainees, or more than 60 per cent of the total number of trainees in camp, enlisted for active service during the present recruiting campaign, Major B. H. Geary, V.C., second-in-command at the Newmarket basic training centre, told The Era.

"Those who enlist for active service may choose the branch of the service in which they will serve," said Major Geary. "Those who do not enlist for active service are liable for service anywhere in Canada that the government cares to send them."

A change of troops personnel is due next week, with some men leaving and others coming in for training, Major Geary said.



Flight-Sergeant Wm. Pipher is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pipher of Newmarket. Flight-Sgt. Pipher was recently transferred from Carberry, Man., to Halifax, N.S. Photo by Budd.

Newmarket People Hear Germans Evacuate Jersey

HAVE CLOSE RELATIVES IN GERMAN DOMINATED JERSEY

Mrs. LeGresley's sister, saying that they were all well.

When the niece left for England she had a few hours to pack all that she could take in a suitcase, and then made the journey across the channel in an overcrowded boat.

The LeGresleys, like most of the people of Jersey, speak both French and English. Jersey newspapers which have in their home give an interesting picture of the island, with its parliament called "the States," members called "deputies" with various officials called "bailiffs," "constables," and "centeniers."

Stories circulate that the herds of Jersey cattle are gone, and that now the Germans, having difficulty in maintaining communications, are evacuating Jersey and the other channel islands, according to Rodney Ecobichon, another Newmarket man with Jersey relatives. Although he was born in Peterborough, Mr. Ecobichon's parents were born in Jersey.

One story that Mr. Ecobichon has heard is of farms being hurriedly sold for as little as \$10 by evacuees to neighbors who were staying behind.

Town Humbled By Davis Leather 6-3 In Key Game

EGGS HIT \$1.10 AFTER LAST WAR

Going through The Era files with Postmaster L. P. Cane this week, to settle an argument, a reporter found that butter sold for 66 cents a pound and eggs for \$1.10 a dozen in New

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A CALL TO ACTION

Newmarket's Main St. is busier this summer than ever it has been, and more congested. The delays, the inconveniences, the annoyances to those who seek to do business in our town, to those who seek to pass through, are legion. Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales told the last town council meeting that he did not see any hope of getting the merchants to agree on a solution. Let's accept that, and go ahead from there. Let the town council adopt the best solution, in its opinion, and go ahead fearlessly. The purpose of a street is to provide a thoroughfare for vehicles, not to provide indefinite parking for them. If the town council would adopt a bold policy, calculated to serve the best interests of all, there would be plenty of approval from the public and good-natured co-operation from the merchants.

Citizens are also watching with interest for Councillors Arthur Evans and Frank Bowser, light and streets committee chairmen, to launch their experimental widening of Main St. These enterprising municipal men will find lots of approval and appreciation for their efforts when they get this important work under way.

WE AGREE AND WE DON'T

A federal member of parliament, H. E. Spencer, makes a good point when he suggests that it would be a sound investment for Canada to spend more money on sickness prevention. As long as we remember the pages of Robert Louis Stevenson, however, we cannot agree with his statement that health, "if anything, is more important than education, because unless a child has health it is not much use attempting to cram education into it." An underdeveloped body sometimes, as in the case of Stevenson, means an exceptionally well-developed mind. Similarly, the blind person often develops other faculties to a higher degree.

WILL BIG ARMIES BE NEEDED?

To read the opinions of others and to choose between them is not to pose as a military strategist. We have read and listened to those who call for great armies, and we have read those who have talked of mechanized war and said that mechanical power, in the form of bombers and tanks and armored cars and machine-guns, means victory. It seems to us that Hitler's victories have supported the latter viewpoint. In Russia today apparently two great armies are engaged, but even there seemingly Russia's stand so far seems to have been made possible by mechanized equipment rather than by numbers.

From the moment this war broke loose there arose shouts in Canada for a Canadian army without thought given to whether it was needed or not. The government announced a reasonable policy of establishing a small army, and equipping it in a big way. The calls of super-patriots, however, forced the government into the foolishness of training great numbers of men for bare-handed defence of Canada. That just served to embarrass industry, put up production costs and living expenses, and interfere with Canada's real war effort, which should be industrial and agricultural.

The shouting has kept up, with the result that the government decided to keep its trainees in uniform, and is now high-pressureing them into active service. In other words, the decision is being made by a clamorous section of the public, without due regard for the possibility that Canada's manpower might be more effectively engaged in the production of munitions or aircraft.

W. R. Plewman, in the Toronto Star, writes: "Even were Russia to go under, it should still be possible for Britain and the U.S. to win the war by means of mastery of the air added to mastery of the sea, and without fighting their way across Europe to Berlin. The possibility of achieving victory in this way appears to be doubted by General Wavell and his successor, General Auchinleck. It is scoffed at by most of the high military officers at Washington. Some of these U.S. officers are still preparing to fight the battles of yesterday and do not sense in the remotest way today's possibilities of war in the air. Some day in the distant future it may be dinned into their heads that 'victory without occupation' is possible by means of undisputed mastery of the air and sea."

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CANADIAN UNITY, WORLD PROGRESS

Untruths, once broadcast, travel far before they are overtaken. We have still with us lies fabricated in the middle ages. Hitler's great lie,

elaborated with the help of pseudo-scientists, about German race purity and superiority will endure for many a century. Not more lovely is the contrasting lie about German racial depravity and brutality.

There is no hope of building a real peace or a better world on such foundations. Truth must predominate in an advancing civilization. It is therefore encouraging to find our Canadian government playing a part in the gigantic job of destroying these pestilential untruths, these spreading weeds which choke and kill democratic and liberal institutions.

The director of public information publishes a booklet called "Canadians All," written by Professor Watson Kirkconnell of McMaster University. This booklet tells us that practically all European nationalities are racial mixtures. "The British Isles show a bewildering racial mixture." "Germany itself is hopelessly mixed." French-Canadians, chiefly from Normandy, Picardy, etc., are said to be closer to the average English Canadians, than English Canadians and Welsh Canadians are to each other.

Incidentally, Mazo de la Roche, one-time Newmarket girl, is spoken of as of French-Canadian origin. "Writing in English, Mazo de la Roche has won international fame in fiction."

The booklet is rightly called a "primer of Canadian national unity." Some of the more interesting paragraphs we quote:

"It is a mistake to imagine, as some people do, that European nationalities are separated by downright differences of race. The idea that people who speak the same language or live under the same government belong to the same race is one of the most dangerous errors that can delude the human brain. To the scientist, race is simply and solely a matter of physical characteristics, such as skull-shape, color of eyes, hair, and skin, texture of hair, stature, and blood-group.

Just as we classify our cows as Aboerdeens or Guernseys or Holsteins by reason of their bodily types and not because they moo in a certain fashion or inhabit a common pasture-field, so neither language nor political grouping proves anything as to the race of any human being.

"In Europe, in spite of all the languages spoken, there are just three main subspecies of the human race, namely (i) the tall, fair-haired, long-skulled Nordic, (ii) the short, dark, long-skulled Mediterranean, and (iii) the stocky, broad-headed Alpine type. No one type has had a monopoly of genius in creating civilization, for all three have contributed abundantly to the upbuilding of the world. Moreover, every nation in Europe has been a mixture of these types and has been actually enriched by the inter-mixture.

"In France, all three types are found, with the broad-headed Alpine predominating, as in Germany. In Italy, even the casual tourist can distinguish between the swarthy, long-skulled type of the south and the burly, red-haired Alpine type so common in the north. The British Isles show a bewildering racial mixture, for the Southern Irish, the Welsh, the Cornish, and the 'black breed' of the western highlands of Scotland are more closely akin to the Spaniard and the south Italian, the red-headed highlander is most nearly related to the blond Scandinavian, while the Yorkshireman finds his nearest racial cousins in the Netherlands and northwest Germany.

"Germany itself is hopelessly mixed. Its western provinces are racially far closer to the Netherlands and the Belgians than to the rest of Germany; while the peoples of its eastern provinces pass without any racial frontier into the population of Poland and of the Danubian countries. The racial type in Danzig, in spite of its fierce Nazi sentiment, is statistically indistinguishable from the racial type in Poland. For that matter, more than half of modern Germany once spoke Slavic languages, and in the past thousand years has changed its language but not its racial mixture.

"It follows from all this that there is no such thing as a French race, an Italian race, an Anglo-Saxon race, or a German race—or, for that matter, a Polish race, a Ukrainian race, or a Russian race. We are all mixtures; and to the historian mixtures are a good thing, for they encourage new developments in civilization.

"A very important conclusion for us here in Canada is that none of our national groups from Europe is really alien to the rest of us. All, by nature, are just as kind, just as honest, just as capable of serving and suffering, as any of the others. It is one of the darkest crimes of our modern world that some evil-hearted men have sought to preach that one nationality (they would falsely say 'race') is superior to others and is entitled, because of that superiority, to insult and enslave and exterminate others. It is important that we, even here in Canada, should be careful never to assume that our fellow-Canadians, of any origin, are by nature unworthy of our sympathy, respect and goodwill. A few in all groups, even the English and the French, have been taught by evil propagandists to have hate in their hearts; but the vast majority of all Canadians are honest, loyal folk, ready and willing to contribute much to our united national life."

And then another quotation from the booklet to help us remember that Germans have contributed greatly to our modern civilization: "The main achievements of Germany have been in literature, music and science. The roll in literature includes Lessing, Herder, Goethe, Schiller, Sudermann, Hauptmann and Thomas Mann. In the related field of philosophy and religion, we may trace a great line from Reuchlin and Luther down through Leibniz, Kant, Fichte and Hegel. In music, Germany's record is unrivaled in human history, including, as it does, Gluck, Handel, Bach, Beethoven, Weber, Mendelssohn, Schumann, Wagner, Brahms, and Richard Strauss, to whom may be added the Austrian German composers, Mozart, Haydn, Schubert, Johann Strauss and Bruckner. In science, their pioneers were Kepler and Leibniz, followed by the von Humboldt's, Gauss, Bessel, Jacobi, Leibig, Mitscherlich, Woehler, Schleiden, Schwann, Henle, Virchow, Weber, von Helmholz, Koch, Roentgen and Fisher. The tragedy of our day is that a nation that has made such gifts to the enrichment and preservation of human life has fallen under the control of a malevolent and soul-destroying conspiracy for world-power."

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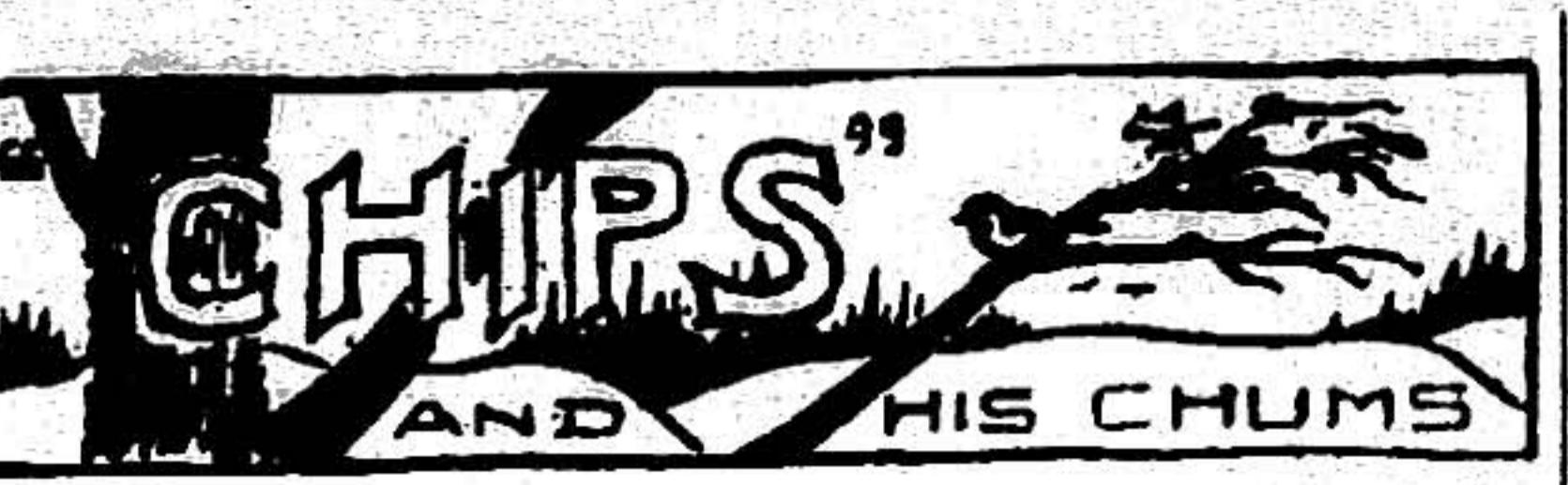
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MR. AND MRS. GOLDFINCH ADMIRE THEMSELVES

By RUTH DINGMAN HEBB

"Just imagine—Mrs. Robin is building a second nest, and she's as busy as a bee," chirped Goldie Goldfinch, "and here we are with the eggs for our first nest just laid. It's a funny world."

"So many of our friends regard us as lazy birds," his mate responded, "but this seems to me the ideal time to be looking after eggs. After all, we should be enjoying the long spring, flying about, and not tie ourselves down to home cares until later on when it gets hot."

"Why, just look at that little flock of birds over there," said Goldie. "There must be 20 of them anyway. They look like some kind of Blackbirds. It does seem early to be seeing the Blackbirds flocking together, doesn't it. I suppose, now, we'll be seeing bunches of various kinds of Blackbirds, and Swallows, too, for the next couple of months."

"There goes one of our Night-hawk friends," murmured Mrs. Goldie. "They don't confine their wild boomer dives to the evening, do they? I expect they've got their twins almost raised by this time and are beginning to feel carefree again."

"What a babel those young Chicks over the way are making," commented Goldie lazily, enjoying the sunshine from his perch.

"Well, we've been singing and making quite a racket ourselves," his mate reminded him. "I can't seem to settle down, even though we have a nest lined with

lovely, soft, thistledown." Mrs. Goldfinch told her mate. "Some of the Goldfinches do it, you know, and I've always wanted to."

"Oh, I think our nest is quite nice enough as it is," replied Goldie. "And I'm quite proud of those nice, bluish-white eggs. They're so much more delicate and pretty than the many bird eggs that you see, all disfigured with big, brown spots on them. I'd choose an unspotted, plain egg every time."

"It's a good thing that you're a Goldfinch then, and not a Chickadee or some other bird that has speckled or spotted eggs," laughed his mate. "I'd almost think you were a trifle conceited, from some of the remarks you have made this afternoon."

"We Goldfinches have a right to be conceived," Goldie chirped airily, and flitted gracefully over to the purple thistle again. "We're a decoration wherever we are. Everybody likes to have us in their gardens."

"If only they wouldn't call us wild Canaries," complained Mrs. Goldie. "Who ever heard of a Canary with black wings? It's the Yellow Warblers, who are pale yellow all over, that should be called that, if anybody is."

"Oh, well, as long as they look at us and exclaim over us, what do we care," replied the vain Goldie, with a flutter of his golden and black feathers.

Miss Lelia Manning is spending two or three weeks at the Falls Camp on Lake Scugog and will visit at Lindsay before her return home.

Mrs. C. Rodman and two children from Imperial, Sask., are here on a visit with Mrs. Rodman's father, Mr. Chas. Wilson, Eagle St.

BORN — In Newmarket, on June 27, 1918, to Pte. and Mrs. E. Peat, a daughter.

BORN — In Newmarket, on July 5, to Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rutledge, a son.

BORN — In Kettleby, on July 11, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Silas Heacock, a son.

BORN — In Holland Landing, on July 10, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ough, a son.

Allied shipping losses during the month of June dropped sharply from the losses of the previous month, the British admiralty announced this week. British allied and neutral shipping losses totalled 79 ships, a decrease of 29 ships over the May figures.

A new fierce offensive by the Nazis is, according to the Russians, being held by Soviet forces, with heavy losses on both sides. The Soviet officials reported to be preparing to leave Moscow and move farther inland.

A mutual aid pact was signed by Britain and the Soviet in Moscow on Saturday. Miss L. Bodley of Toronto is visiting at Mr. W. C. Oliver's this week.

Miss Eva Jackson returned from Guelph on Monday after a month's visit.

Mrs. R. Morrow and baby of Chicago, Ill., are visiting friends in Newmarket.

Mr. Ed. Barry returned to Orillia on Monday after a short visit with his parents.

The town council will meet next Monday night.

Mrs. Ben Pearson of Toronto is visiting friends in this district for a short time.

Mrs. R. H. Smith had new potatoes ready in her garden on July 12. Some of the coveted tubers were sent to the editor's residence and were greatly appreciated, as, like most folks, he had been without potatoes for a month.

An armistice, according to British terms, was signed this week between Britain and Vichy, after a five-weeks campaign in Syria and the Levant. All Vichy planes in Syria and Lebanon and all ships in their territorial waters were yielded to the Allies.

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York County

THROUGH THE EYES OF J. R. HALE, ORILLIA PACKET AND TIMES.

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from springs. It covers 40 acres. After spending a very pleasant day on the grounds, the party moved on. I had had a number of invitations to visit Eaton Hall. I have known Mr. P. L. Whytock, the manager, for some years and met him at the Exhibition, the Royal Winter Fair and the annual meeting of the Royal Winter Fair. And only last winter I met Mr. Whytock in Orillia on his way to Muskoka to visit one of the employees at the summer home, who was ill. He reminded me that he would like me to see Eaton Hall. Mr. Whytock is a Scotsman, and a very active director of the Royal Winter Fair. In Mr. Beer he has a good assistant, from what I heard, Mr. Beer was to be appointed as assistant to Mr. Cockburn, but an industrial firm took him off. But soon after Eaton Hall secured his services. This little visit gave a grand start to a lovely happy day.

From the farm the party turned north and finally came to Don-Alida gate and following the highway to Keswick and along the shore to Sutton and on to Beaverton. It is a very good road, paved most of the way. At Sutton I slipped across to Jackson's Point, and while there went out to the Sibaldi Memorial church.

The first stable visited was where the Guernsey cattle were.

This stable is ventilated thoroughly, and finished handsomely.

Part of the finishings in the stalls are brass, and are polished

POLICE COURT
Toronto Motorist Goes
To Jail For Drunk Driving

who was charged with dangerous driving and driving while intoxicated.

Lloyd Kay, Belhaven, testified that at 9 a.m. on July 9, while he was driving east on the road into Sutton, he heard the horn of the car ahead blowing loudly. This car, which was driven by the defendant, pulled out to pass another car and while doing so turned so far out that its four wheels were over the shoulder of the road. When he passed the car the defendant slowed them up considerably. The witness stated that he and the other motorist then passed Mr. Diamond and proceeded to Sutton. When he arrived in town he saw the defendant's car turning a curve on the highway and head for the ditch. The car then swerved out of the ditch. He said he notified Constable Burke, as he did not think a motorist driving in such a manner should be on the highway.

"I tried to stop him," testified Constable Burke. "He kept going along the highway. He turned and on the way back I stopped him."

Questioned by the acting crown attorney, Joseph Vale, as to the actions of the defendant, the officer stated: "When I tried to stop the car he nearly hit me. He was very abusive."

"How did his breath smell?" asked the crown.

"Pretty strong," replied the witness.

"Of what onions?" asked the magistrate with a smile.

"No sir, of liquor," was the reply. According to the opinion of Constable William Hill, Sutton, who was called to the scene, he found Mr. Diamond in no condition to be driving a car. "He was unsteady on his feet, his speech was thick and his breath smelled of liquor," stated the constable.

I asked him where he was going and he said that he was going to Brechin to see a dog. I asked him what kind of a dog and he said just a dog."

"How did he act?" the crown asked.

"He was very abusive to the other officer."

"Do you think he was drunk?" asked his worship.

"Yes, I do," was the reply.

Dr. W. J. Laurie, Sutton, who examined Mr. Diamond when he was brought to his office by the police, stated: "From interrogation and observation, he was under the influence of acute alcoholism. He also said that he had a few drinks. He was unsteady on his feet and very loquacious."

In his own defense, James Diamond told his worship that he had had very little sleep that night or the day before.

"I was more tired than drunk," he stated. "I was so tired that I was ready to stagger without any drink. Anyone not knowing me would think I was drunk. I admit having three little glasses of whiskey before leaving Toronto. It is the first time I have driven a car when I've taken a drink."

Asked why he gave the police officer abuse the defendant stated: "I didn't know he was a constable."

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CHOICE OF TWO STRAND SHOWS

Twenty-three correct answers were sent in for last week's contest. A few were late and a few were wrong. The correct answer was "classified." We thought the problem was rather tricky, but apparently there are some pretty brainy puzzlers around.

From the 23 correct answers the following five were drawn, and win double passes to the Strand theatre for next Tuesday's show ("Tobacco Road," and "Play Girl") or next Thursday's show ("Underground" and "Blonde Inspiration"); Mrs. J. Woodcock, Newmarket, Mrs. M. Hugson, Newmarket, Mrs. H. E. Gilroy, Newmarket, Elizabeth Anderson, Aurora; Irene Sedore, Newmarket. Passes may be obtained any evening at the theatre box office, or the night of attending the show.

Five lucky winners of this week's contest will receive double passes for Tuesday, July 29, when "Arise My Love," starring Claudette Colbert and Ray Milland, and "The People vs. Dr. Kildare," starring Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore, will be shown, or for Thursday, July 31, when "The Devil and Miss Jones," starring Jean Arthur, and "The Great Swindle," starring Jack Holt, will be shown.

Answers must reach The Era by 9:30 a.m., D.S.T., on Tuesday morning.

WANT-ADS

The rate for Want Ads is 25 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 40 cents for two insertions; 50 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

For sale—7-room house, cement clad, centrally situated. All conveniences. Attached garage. Large cistern and a nice garden. Apply E. A. Boyd's realty office. c3w24

For sale—Modern, eight-roomed house, hot water heating, bath, sun-rooms, garden, rockery, lily pond. Low taxes. Frank Tate, Sharon. c3w22

80-ACRE FARM FOR SALE

West part north half lot 22, concession 4, Whitchurch. Seven acre bush, hydro, telephone, highway, immediate possession, 1941 crop optional. To close estate. Apply to H. E. Oliver, Gormley, phone Aurora 8031. c3w22

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Farms, Houses, Acres, Lots,
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CHURCHES

NEWMARKET GOSPEL TABERNACLE

12 Millard Ave.
Just west of Main St.
Pastor: REV. L. R. COUPLAND
Sunday, July 20, 1941

10 a.m.—Sunday-school.
11 a.m.—Morning worship.

Subject: "The fruit of a spirit-filled Christian life."

7 p.m.—Evangelistic service, preceded by song service. Subject: "Heaven."

Donald Galbraith, tenor soloist from Aurora, will sing for us in the evening.

Tuesday, 2:45 p.m.—Women's prayer circle meeting at the home of Mrs. M. Cook, 114 Prospect Ave.

Wednesday—No service in Tabernacle, but will be "Tabernacle night" at the community evangelistic services in Queenville skating rink.

For sale—One two-year-old Holstein bull. Purchased (not reg.). Apply to Carmen Rose, seventh con. of East Gwillimbury, 3½ miles north of Holt. *1w24

For sale—Two brood sows from registered stock. Also cream separator, nearly new. Apply W. L. Grant, north Main St., Newmarket. *1w24

For sale—A good supply of strong McCormick-Deering binder twine on hand. Nesbitt Motor Sales. c3w24

For sale—Massey-Harris binder, 7 ft. In good order. Lot 16, 3rd line, Whitchurch. c1w24

Wanted—Live poultry, also young roosters, three pounds and over. Top prices paid. Write to I. Balsky, 689 Shaw St., Toronto, or phone Lloydbrook 8201, previous charge. *3w22

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Lost—Pair of child's sun glasses. With corrective lens. Green tint. In white gold frame. Finder please enquire at Era office. *1w21

Wanted—Any popular make of used car, up to 1936 preferred.

We have three or four new 1941 Dodge cars for sale, less the last excise tax increase. Not all models available at these prices.

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FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE

For sale or exchange—80-acre farm, with hydro, in house and barn, woodlot, immediate possession if wished. Will sell or take house and lot in Newmarket or district in exchange. Write Era box 420. *5w20

FOR RENT

For rent—5-roomed cottage at Lake Simcoe for August. Also cabin at \$1 per day. Apply A. Trivett, Newmarket. c2w23

For rent—Two rooms. Furnished or unfurnished. Apply 76 Botsford St. c2w21

For rent—A heated apartment. Fridge, electric stove, 3 piece bath, yearly lease. Phone 13. t221

For rent—Large attractive front room. With or without board. Conveniences. Apply 18 Simcoe St. West. *1w24

For rent—Five-roomed brick house in Holland Landing. Electricity. Good cellar. Well. Small barn and garage. Two acre garden. Immediate possession. Rent \$10 per month. Apply S. R. Goudwin, Holland Landing, or phone Newmarket 4382. csw24

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HELP WANTED

Help wanted—Girl. Capable and honest. To help with housework. No washing. Nurse girl kept for children. Cooking ability preferred, but not essential. Good wages. Apply by writing or in person to Mrs. C. R. Plaxton, "The Briars," Jackson's Point. *1w24

Help wanted—Experienced housemaid, with some knowledge of cooking. Other help kept. Good wages. References required. Apply Mrs. Edward Hargreaves, 55 Peel St., Barrie. t223

Help wanted—Capable, pleasant and neat girl or young woman for family of three adults, for light housekeeping. Sleep out. P.O. box 806, Newmarket.

Help wanted—Reliable person to take full charge of home. Sleep in. Immediately. Apply 37 Centre St., Aurora. c1w21

Help wanted—Personnel for laundry and general cleaning. 12-oz. jar \$0.40.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

PHONE 12

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—Mrs. John Morton spent last week visiting friends in Toronto and Niagara Falls.

—Mrs. Robert Graves is spending this week at a camp meeting at Holland Landing.

—Aircraftman Stanley Evans spent the weekend at his home in town.

—Mrs. H. A. Lackner of Kitchener spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chantler, Park Ave.

—Miss Mervil Bennett of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Bennett.

—Mr. Charles Bennett of Toronto visited his brother, Mrs. N. F. Bennett, and Mrs. Bennett, over the weekend.

—Mr. Dudley Loveless of Toronto was a weekend visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George A. Armstrong.

—Mrs. A. Bartholomew of Stouffville spent the weekend with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Allan Bartholomew.

—Mr. Audrey Bartholomew of Stouffville and Mr. Allan Bartholomew and children, Aileen and Beverley, spent the weekend at Kenosis Lake, Haliburton.

—Mr. and Mrs. Chester Best and family spent a few days last week at Wasaga Beach and Algonquin Park.

—Miss Margaret Duncan and Miss Shirley Price of Toronto spent the weekend with Miss Duncan's mother, Mrs. Frank Duncan.

—Miss Margaret Lockie of Zephyr was a weekend guest of Miss Norma Lowe.

—Mrs. W. M. Cockburn and children are holidaying at Lake Kasheer, Muskoka.

—Mrs. D. Weburn and son, Mr. Arthur Coltham, of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Coltham.

—Mrs. Maillard McDonald and children and Mrs. G. McHale and children are spending this week at Lake Simcoe.

—Mrs. John Cain is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Percy Partridge, at Sault Ste. Marie.

—Mrs. Harry Fee and Mrs. F. Boston and daughter, Barbara, have returned to Sault Ste. Marie.

—Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Kerr of Courtland were weekend visitors at the home of Dr. and Mrs. S. J. Boyd.

—Miss Ruby Carruthers of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Carruthers.

—Miss Laurie Summerby of Sault Ste. Marie spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. E. Case, and Dr. Case.

—Mrs. C. H. R. Clark and Mrs. S. W. Markham have returned to St. Elmo, Muskoka.

HAVE PRETTY CHURCH WEDDING

A pretty wedding was solemnized in the Christian church at noon on Saturday, when Miss Dorothy Anne Greer, daughter of Mrs. Greer and the late John Greer, became the bride of Mr. Bruce Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson of Stouffville. Rev. Arthur Greer, brother of the bride, performed the ceremony.

The church was prettily decorated with summer flowers. Clarion Baker was at the organ.

The bride, given in marriage by her brother, David Greer, was lovely in a gown of white satin and bridal veil, caught with pearls. She carried a bouquet of Better Times roses. Miss Olive Johnson, sister of the groom, was bridesmaid, and wore a gown of pale blue net over taffeta with fitted bodice, puffed sleeves and full skirt. Her bouquet was pink roses. Mr. Donald Closson of Stouffville was best man.

A reception was held at the parsonage, the bride's mother in a maroon sheer frock with white accessories, and the groom's mother in flowered blue silk with navy accessories, receiving with the bridal couple.

The couple left by motor for Haliburton, the bride wearing a sports suit of blue with matching hat and white accessories. She is a graduate of Victoria College and taught at Albert College.

On their return, Mr. and Mrs. Johnson will live near Stouffville.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Heaney and family wish to thank their friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness and beautiful floral tributes received during their recent bereavement.

APPRECIATION</h2

AURORA

Social
AND
Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sanderson of Toronto spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Gilbert of Montreal are visiting the Misses M. and C. Malloy.

Mr. and Mrs. William Morris motored to Moorefield on Sunday.

Miss W. J. Sisman and Misses Patricia and Marvin Sisman are spending the summer months at their cottage on Lake Rousseau.

Miss P. Banbury of Toronto spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Banbury.

Mr. Frank Cassidy of Kitchener and his mother, Mrs. M. Cassidy of Toronto, former Aurora residents were in town calling on friends on Sunday.

The W.A. of Trinity Anglican church held a tea this afternoon at the home of Mrs. E. Bradbury, Machell Ave., which was widely attended. The proceeds will be used for church purposes.

Miss Clara MacNab spent the weekend at her home in Cannington.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Aldrich and Miss Dorothy Aldrich left on Saturday for a month's vacation at Pigeon Lake.

Miss Margaret McGill of Kirkland Lake has returned home after visiting Mrs. Herbert Lewis.

Mrs. Annie Edwards is visiting her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Edwards, Glenville.

Miss Myrtle Brown, R.N., of New York City, has returned home after spending a week visiting Mrs. George Walker and Mrs. Howard Huime.

Mrs. A. Campbell of Englehart is visiting Mrs. Herbert Lewis.

Miss Esther Knowles, of Toronto, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. R. Cockrell.

Miss Anna Morton of Ottawa is spending a few days with Miss June Seaton.

Miss Shirley Fingold has returned home after spending a week at Midland with her sister, Mrs. S. Pullman.

Miss Gertrude Stephenson is on vacation with Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Farr in Muskoka.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reesor and Mr. Donald Saunders, of Toronto, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. James LaVelle.

Miss Leila Boynton of Elora is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Boynton.

Mrs. James Closs of Toronto and son, James, were in town over the weekend.

Dr. G. A. C. Gunton spent Tuesday in Ottawa on business.

Miss Mae Fry spent last Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fry.

Mr. and Mrs. Delroy Babcock and Paul are on holiday at Lake Simcoe.

Mr. and Mrs. S. McNairn are on holidays at Belleville, Ont.

Ex-Reeve J. A. Knowles and family, of Toronto, were in town on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jennings of Orillia spent the weekend with her aunt, Mrs. Al. Mitchell, and Mr. Mitchell.

Principal and Mrs. J. H. Knowles and Misses Ruth and Nora Knowles are on holidays at Lanark.

Miss Roselle Evans of Toronto spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. Mitchell.

Mr. and Mrs. Aris Bartselaar of Newmarket spent the weekend with Mrs. M. Nicol.

Mrs. L. Ness of Montreal is visiting her brother and sisters, Reeve C. A. Malloy and the Misses M. and C. Malloy.

Miss G. Martin of Toronto spent Saturday and Sunday with Miss Lorraine Hudson.

Miss Barbara Walker left on Tuesday to spend a few weeks holidays in Toronto with her grandmother, Mrs. M. Walker.

Mrs. Owen Johnston of Toronto is visiting her mother, Mrs. W. Steadman.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griner and family of Toronto are visiting Mr. Griner's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Griner.

Mrs. Gladys Martin and Miss Joyce Martin, of Detroit, Mich., and Master William Lloyd, are spending holidays with Mrs. Percy Lloyd at Lake Simcoe. Mrs. Martin is Mrs. Lloyd's sister-in-law.

Mr. Charles LaVelle of Toronto has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fry.

WITH THE SOLDIERS

Harold Petrie of the R.C.A.F., Guelph, spent the weekend at his home.

Keith Davis of the R.C.A.F., Montreal, spent the weekend at his home.

Trooper Henry Starkey of the G.C.H.G., Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Trooper William Mugford of the 1st Hussars, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Donald Judd of the Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders, Camp Shilo, Manitoba, is home on furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Judd.

Hal Selm of the R.C.A.F. spent the weekend at his home.

Dale King of the R.C.A.F., St. Thomas, spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. W. C. King.

Pte. Albert Wright of the R.C.A.S.C., Camp Borden, a former member of No. 11 platoon, C coy., Queen's York Rangers, is now taking a course as a P.T. instructor.

Trooper Ray White of the 1st Hussars, Camp Borden, attended the Aurora-training camp game on Tuesday night.

Douglas Egan of the R.C.A.F., who has been convalescing from an operation at his home, returned to duty at Montreal, P.Q., on Friday.

Trooper Gordon Long of the 1st Hussars spent the weekend at his home.

Trooper Dennis Richardson of the 1st Hussars spent the weekend in town.

Dale King of the R.C.A.F. has been transferred from Brantford to St. Thomas.

Perry King of the R.C.A.F., Brantford, has been transferred to Toronto.

Trooper William Simmons, Camp Borden, and Mrs. Simmons are spending a week at Timmins.

WILL TRAIN AS NURSE

Miss Ruth Goodman, a graduate of the local high school, who for the past few years has been on the office staff at St. Andrew's college, is to enter as nurse-in-training at Toronto Western hospital in September.

RESIDENCES CHANGE HANDS

Clarence Davis has rented the Hiram Ash residence on Tyler St. and will take possession soon.

G. E. Hughes, Spruce St., has purchased the residence on Kennebog St. owned by the estate of Mrs. J. L. Ferguson.

TIME TROTS ON

(Continued from Page 5)

Previous to that Mr. Bond had handled the express and Dunham and Strasler were the official agents.

In 1916 there were over 30 delivery horses in town, now in 1941, streamlined days find only three or four left. According to Peter Banbury, veteran liveryman, there were once as many as 60 horses in use daily in town.

Throughout the years "Milt" worked six days a week. Sunday was the only holiday "Milt" received and occasionally he did duty then. Other days in heat, wind, rain and snow he made his regular trips to the C.N.R. station and can name you dozens of engineers, baggagemen, clerks, station agents and travellers who have come and gone.

TAKES AIRCRAFT POST

R. J. Black of Toronto, who for the past few years has been superintendent of Factory Equipment Ltd., making almost daily trips to the local plant, has accepted an appointment as inspector of aircraft with the department of national defence. John Offord is acting superintendent.

WILL RACE SATURDAY

Four riders from the Aurora Cycling club will take part in the bike races at the Toronto police station at Varsity Stadium on Saturday. Bob Benville, Norman and Harold Foster and Bill Heath have all been training faithfully for the event and hope to do well. They will be accompanied by Jack Offord and Mickey Smith.

NAMED TO STAFF

Miss Gladys Humphries of London, Ont., has been appointed to the staff of the local high school, replacing Miss Jean Sanderson, who resigned a few weeks ago.

Miss Humphries is a graduate of Western University. This is her first teaching assignment. She will teach Latin and physical culture. She was prominent in athletics and student activities at Western U.

KING GIRL WILL TEACH PUBLIC SCHOOL

Miss Martha Hamby of Rockwood, Ont., is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Fleury.

Miss Corlene Byer of St. Catharines spent the weekend with Miss Bertha Andrews.

IS SECOND OLDEST

Mrs. Lavilla M. Howard, Wellington St., quietly celebrated her 94th birthday on Saturday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. A. Hamer.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young spent the weekend at Collingwood, Ont.

Miss Barbara Bowman is holding day with Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Smith at Lake Rousseau.

Miss Valencia McNaught is spending the next two weeks with Miss Dorothy Aldrich at Pidgeon Lake.

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G. J. Sykes of London, Ont., had a narrow escape from serious injury early Friday morning as he attempted to pass between a parked car owned by John Boddy and an oncoming northbound transport truck. Thinking that he was in for a crash with the truck, Mr. Sykes veered to the left striking the parked car and tearing off the left fender off and damaging that side of the Bodfish car. His own automobile was badly damaged. Chief Constable Fisher Dunham investigated.

REDUCE CLERK'S BOND

On recommendation of the town council the finance committee has reduced the fidelity bond on Town Clerk A. C. Willis from \$10,000 to \$5,000. A three-year loss discovery period has also been secured. Previously the discovery period was two years.

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The question was introduced by Councillor Ed. Logan, who declared that weeds were growing higher than the fences, and that farms once clean were being overrun.

"We have a weed inspector, but in my own division, where we once had no weeds, today chickory overruns some fields," declared Mr. Logan.

He thought it was only a waste of time to run the mower along cutting a swath on either side of the road, and the rest let go until it is a disgrace.

It is up to the road foreman," said Councillor Wells. Then Reeve Toolie explained that the road foremen and weed inspector were anxious to have the weeds cut, but they cannot get the help.

"It is purely a labor problem, and I suggest that we enlist the help of every farmer where weeds are bad surrounding or fronting his property," said Reeve Toolie.

The council gave some consideration to the tax rate, that will be struck at a special meeting later in the month. There is a reduction of half a mill, or about \$1,300 in county taxation this year, which members all expressed the hope might be passed on to the taxpayers by way of a half mill reduction in the rate. This is not assured yet, as the budget is not ready, but it is a hope and the aim of the members.

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AWAIT APPOINTMENT

No new developments have occurred in the proposal to try to find a solution for the tannery creek problem. The town engineer, W. E. Redfern, is ready to proceed, as is Dr. C. H. Berry of the department of health, but to date the Collis Leather Co. have not named their engineer.

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STREET IMPROVED

The Dominion Store block, owned by Mrs. Ernest Gregory of Toronto, is receiving a new coat of paint, which greatly adds to the appearance of Yonge St.

Laking and Norris made several catches that saved Couse from damage. Barrie got a run in the first, another in the fifth and five in the sixth. Aurora threatened to turn back to those ratepayers who were able to pay at the earlier date.

Up until Barrie's half of the sixth the contest was in doubt, with Barrie having a 2-uncared lead, when three Aurora errors by Sparks, Cook and Couse, coupled with a brace of Simcoe hits, sent five runs across the plate.

Morley Cook, making his first start of the season on the mound for Aurora, allowed eight hits and gave up two walks. He whiffed five and might have had a better fate if his mates had held together in the field, as seven Aurora runners were left perched on the bags and only needed a blow to come home.

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Most of her life had been spent in Aurora. She was a member of Aurora United church and the funeral service was at her late residence and Aurora cemetery, on Wednesday. Rev. Roy Hicks, pastor of Aurora United church, was in charge. She is survived by her two brothers, Peter and Roy Arnold of Orillia, and three sisters, Mrs. John Fairbairn (Lydia), Mrs. Wilmet Fairbairn (Mary), and Mrs. Howard Fifie (Sadie), all of Sharon.

PASSES UNIVERSITY EXAMS

Miss Geraldine King has been successful in passing her second year arts examinations at McMaster University with a high standing.

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Labor Shortage Brings Bad Weed Problem

Time Trots On, Horses Retire To Farm Life

"Old Man River Just Keeps Rollin' Along." Big Alex Webster took the mound on Tuesday night for the first time this season and pitched a nine-inning win over Newmarket training camp.

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BELHAVEN

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley A. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marshall and Mrs. Barclay, all of Toronto, visited Mr. and Mrs. Duke Horner recently, the occasion being Mrs. Horner's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wilson and their daughter, Helen, Miss Pearl Richards and Miss Marjorie Brummer of Toronto were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winch on Saturday afternoon.

Farmers are busy with haying and fall wheat is ripening fast. Recent rains have helped the gardens and crops.

The Free Methodist camp meetings at Holland Landing commenced last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Black have moved into the Connolly house near Bethel.

The July meeting of the Women's Institute was held in Belhaven hall. This was the annual girls' meeting and was very well attended.

Miss Edith Morton of Sutton addressed the girls on "Refinement, personality and grooming." A talk was also given by Miss Bernice Hamilton on the second year work at MacDonald Institute, Guelph.

The remainder of the program consisted of songs, a piano solo, recitations and a contest. The girls taking part were Aileen and Alice Fairbank, Jean, Nancy and Mary Huntley, Glenna Cryderman and Phyllis Winch. At the close of the meeting ice cream and cookies were enjoyed by all.

Mr. John Gordon of Toronto spent Wednesday afternoon with his family here.

Miss Norma Lockie of Toronto was home for a week's holidays, returning to the city on Saturday to attend a cousin's wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Silas Sennett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sennett and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Sennett visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Horner this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Waller of Brooklin spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson Lockie.

Mrs. James Nelson is still confined to her bed.

Miss Louise Holborne spent the week in Toronto with friends.

PICTURES WANTED

Pictures of soldiers are appreciated for publication. Letters from soldiers are also welcome. There is no charge for printing pictures in The Era.

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**BIRTHDAY CLUB**

Congratulations this week to Margaret Schrank, Newmarket, 11 years old today, Thursday, July 17.

(Use coupon above to send in your name and age for the Birthday club.)

Elmhurst Beach

Mr. Kenneth Hodges and Mr. Dan Mahoney have just returned from a trip north, visiting Manitoulin Island, Mr. Jack Mahoney at Petawawa Camp, and other points north.

Gene Byrne's "Regular Fellers" will be the next comic strip to go on celluloid. The cast will include some of "Our Gang" comedies' cast.

Spencer Tracy will probably win another Academy Award if all the stories that one hears about his work in Metro's "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde" turn out to be true. Judging Mr. Tracy by past performances, we are inclined to believe these rumors.

Anna Neagle's next picture for R.O. will be a melodrama made in Canada and England, dealing with the North Atlantic patrol and the British secret service. Miss Neagle will leave for England with Producer Herbert Wilcoxon, after a tour of Canada.

A one-man film, with Leslie Howard at one and the same time producer, director and star, a film with great appeal anywhere save in Nazi Germany, is "Pimpernel Smith." Shown recently to the London press, it went over with a bang and one commentator sums it up as follows: "An excellent picture, which is grand entertainment. Very topical, with plenty of leg-pulling at the expense of Nazism."

Bette Davis takes a holiday from the type of roles that won her the Academy Award in the past, to take a fling at comedy. She is to be seen soon with James Cagney in a role which has, in the past, made him very popular. "The Bride Came C.O.D." teams these top stars and has many laughs and humorous situations.

Soviet propaganda films are booming south of the border since the Nazi-Soviet honeymoon came to an end some three weeks ago. However, this does not change the status of these pictures, banned since the signing of the Berlin-Moscow pact by the Ontario board of censors. The province of Quebec was the first to place a ban on Soviet films, largely because of the strong Roman Catholic influence.

Last week we mentioned a British film entitled "Five Men." This picture may be shown in Canada under the sponsorship of the British Red Cross, with a good portion of the receipts going for war relief. No decision is likely to be made until the middle of August, when the film is expected in Canada.

Sergeant York himself, World War hero, who captured 132 German soldiers single-handedly, arrived in New York the other day for the world premiere of "Sergeant York," the picture dealing with his exploits, starring Gary Cooper. He was given a civic reception, wined and dined at functions which were scheduled to include many celebrities and notables, including Secretary of War Henry L. Stimson.

By no means the least valuable weapons used by Britain's fighting forces in waging the battle of Britain is the motion picture. A survey taken recently shows the army is far ahead of both the Royal Navy and the Royal Air Force in its use of the screen for instruction purposes. Over 60 short films have been produced. These not only deal with, for instance, the use of the machine gun, but cover a wide ground, including the behavior of the military on farm lands and over fields of growing crops.

The Theatre Holding Corporation, which operates the Strand, was the first and is still the only one to offer a reduction to the men in uniform. It is of interest to note that no other chain or independent theatre group has taken this step. At a conference held in New York on July 7, it was announced that Warner theatres will inaugurate a policy to reduce admission prices for service men. (This company does not operate any theatres in Canada). No doubt other American circuit and independent theatres will not be as slow to follow suit.

Nothing New

"In New York," he said, "they have a company that does nothing but answer phone calls for other people."

"I've been doing that for years myself," replied the man with three pretty daughters.

KESWICK
**Blind Musicians Heard
At Garden Party**

Last Sunday's services in the United church were attended by the usual large crowd. In the morning Rev. Gordon Lapp, the minister, preached. The guest soloist at the morning service was Frank Irwin of St. Clair Ave. United church choir, Toronto, who rendered very effectively that beautiful number, "Thanks be to God." At the evening service Rev. Chas. A. McLaren of St. George's United church, Toronto, was the preacher, preaching from the sermon subject, "Our Investments," Mr. Irwin again singing.

Services next Sunday will be in the charge of the minister, Rev. Gordon Lapp.

The garden party, under the auspices of the W.A., was a splendid success, being favored with a beautiful day. Early in the afternoon the crowd began to gather. Promptly at 5 p.m. the supper began.

During the supper hour music was supplied by the Jackson orchestra, which was very fine and much appreciated.

At 8 p.m. the concert program began. Of very special mention on this program were the Jackson orchestra; Miss Betty Barron, soloist, of Toronto Westminster Central church; Mrs. Farrow, pianist, St. John's N.B.; Miss Helen Self, A.T.C.M., lyric soprano, accompanied by Donald Westbrook, A.T.C.M. Miss Self sang a solo. Both were much enjoyed. There was a wonderful spirit of prayer present.

Mr. and Mrs. Plummer attended the Jersey Club Association meeting last Wednesday and visited several points of interest.

Mrs. Wilson of Toronto spent last week with Mrs. E. Devitt. Rev. John Greening and Mrs. Greening of New York visited Mr. McAsh at the home of Fred Knights on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Clayton, Oshawa, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Love on Sunday.

Bobbie Kendall of Woodbridge is spending his holidays at the home of his uncle, Mr. Murray Kennedy.

Thirty-five children were present for the first Wednesday Bible school, which was very encouraging.

MAPLE HILL
**CHILDREN TAKE PART
IN QUARTERLY SERVICE**

On Sunday morning the quarterly service was held in the Sunday-school of Maple Hill Baptist church, with most of the children taking part in solos, duets and memory verses. Miss Blanchette Scott and Bernice, former members of the Sunday-school, also sang a nice duet. The pastor gave an interesting message from the picture of Christ knocking at the door.

Rev. John Greening, Sangerman, New York, also gave a short talk. On Sunday evening Mr. Greening gave a powerful message from I Peter 1: 16, "Be ye holy, for I am holy," Mrs. Greening sang a nice solo.

There was a good attendance at the Dorcas meeting at Mrs. Roy Arnold's last week. The ladies succeeded in getting the quilt off and enjoyed the fellowship together.

The prayer meeting at the home of Melville Wright was also well attended. Rev. L. R. Coupland of Newmarket gave the message. The Misses Sherman of Sunderland and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kester of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rae of Virginia and Mr. Wesley Switzer of Kirkland Lake and his mother, Mrs. Luke Switzer, of Toronto.

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Cedar Brae

The farmers are very busy harvesting their wheat, which, on the whole, seems to be a good crop.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Beare and Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Beare spent Sunday with Mrs. Geo. Trout.

The Delree family from Toronto spent the weekend here.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Sedore entertained relatives from Michigan last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Lehman have returned home after having spent the past week at Stayner.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Taylor on Sunday included Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Snodden of Sunderland and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kester of Zephyr, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Rae of Virginia and Mr. Wesley Switzer of Kirkland Lake and his mother, Mrs. Luke Switzer, of Toronto.

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NORTH GWILLIMBURY**Invite Women To 2-Day
Red Cross Sewing Bee**

The North Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross Society cordially invites all women, residents and summer residents, to come to Belhaven hall on July 22 and 23, from 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., all day, or part of either day, to sew and quilt for the British bomb victims.

Please bring pot luck dinner to be served at 12 noon. Afternoon tea will be provided on both afternoons at 3:30 o'clock. Transportation may be arranged with Mrs. Wm. Vail, president, corner of Ave. and Pine Beach, Keswick, N.B.

Buttons and remnants of all types are asked for, as every piece of material can be utilized in the work.

Summer residents desiring wool may obtain the same by enquiring at the nearest post office. Mrs. W. R. Fisher is conveor of work for the township.

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Miss Eva Lockie of Toronto has spent a couple of weeks with her sisters, Mrs. F. Thompson and Miss Jessie Lockie, here.

Mr. Robert Culverwell and son, Bruce, of Niagara, called on Miss Julia Madill, on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Heaton and Kenny, of Concord, spent Sunday with their parents.

Miss Doreen and Caroline Ferguson and Mr. Stewart Ferguson, of Peterboro, are spending some holidays with their grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Smith and Grant of Sandford, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brooks, of Mount Albert, were at Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Armstrong's on Sunday.

Miss Muriel Lunney of Lindsay is at her home here for a time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Arnold, Bryce and Marian of Pickering, attended the anniversary services in the United church here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Myers are moving to Toronto, Mr. Myers having secured a position there.

supper, the president, Ernest Morton of Keswick, called a meeting, during which Isaac King of Tottenham was elected president of the clan for the coming year, Miss Joy Marratt, secretary, and Angus King, treasurer.

It was noted that members of the family on active service, Kenneth Morton, Milton Morton and two sons of Ira Morton of Mount Albert, should be remembered by letter.

Rev. Richard Morton of Newcastle, Rev. Gordon Lapp and William Marratt addressed the gathering in well-chosen remarks.

The Morton connections of the family are direct descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton of Brownhill. The Marratt connections are descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Marratt. The family of the late Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton is still unbroken, six sons and one daughter, who were all in attendance, which is rather unusual for so large a family.

Two mile events were wheeled in 3:02 and 3:01 respectively, while two half-milers were done in 1:02 and 1:05. The times were good considering conditions.

In the four events the first four riders came in the same order to score 5:3-2:1 points respectively: 1st, Bob Benville, 2nd, Harold Foster, 3rd, Gordon Horner, 4th, Bill Heath.

Bob Benville took down four firsts in the opening races of the Aurora cycling club Dawson Cup competition held at Cousins' track on Tuesday evening.

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MOUNT ALBERT MARK DECORATION DAY AT MOUNT ALBERT

The annual Decoration service, held on Sunday afternoon, was very well attended. The weather was ideal and seats were provided in the shade. The music of the Uxbridge male quartet added much to the service. Rev. A. E. Armstrong, D.D., of Toronto, who was the guest speaker, was rather late in getting there and Rev. R. V. Wilson filled in until he came. Both of these gentlemen gave everyone much food for thought. Mr. Wilson spoke on mortality and Dr. Armstrong on "How we should live to make this world better for ourselves and our children."

The president, Jos. Harrison, welcomed the people to the service and asked that more come to the annual meeting, held in January. The caretaker, George Green, had everything looking very nice, in spite of dry weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boe and family were at the home of Mrs. Boe's mother, Mrs. B. Cook, on Sunday.

Miss E. Williamson and Master Jas. Nighswander, of Markham, were guests this week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Leadbetter.

Misses Florence and Gladys Brooks and Mrs. H. Shillinglaw and Jimmie spent several days last week at Port Carling.

Mrs. Gordon Wagg, Jimmie and Linda, of Picton, are holidaying with relatives in town.

Mrs. Sam. Harper is in York county hospital, where she underwent an appendix operation last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Crozier of Guelph spent the week in town. The Misses Brooks left this week on a motor trip to Manitoulin Island and Sudbury.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Mainprize, Joan and Paul, have been holidaying with Mrs. M. Mainprize.

Mr. and Mrs. Everton Theaker of Picton are staying at the home of Mr. Theaker's father, Mr. Allan Theaker.

Veteran Guards Reg. Willbee and Guy Williamson, who are stationed at Port Arthur, were

home for a short leave over the weekend.

Mrs. O. Wagg, Kenneth and Hilda, of Niagara township, were at the home of Mr. E. Wagg on Sunday.

Mrs. Garnet Pegg and children, of Beeton, were guests of Mrs. Pegg's mother, Mrs. Boden, Sr., over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Draper of Dunbarton spent the weekend with Mr. Draper's brother, Mr. W. Draper.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Summerfield of Cannington were guests of Miss Elizabeth Leek over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Morton, Anna and Judy, of Ottawa, have been visiting Mr. Morton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morton. Friends are glad to see that Ira Morton is able to be around again after a serious illness and operation.

Mr. E. Handsford was taken to York county hospital last week, but is somewhat improved now.

Albert Dike has been rather indisposed and not able to travel around very much.

Mr. and Mrs. John Meek of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. H. Rolling.

Mrs. Cook of Woodbridge and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young of Weston were in town on Saturday.

Mr. Kenneth Jarvis and chil-

dren of Barrie, and Mr. William Aplan were guests at the home of Mrs. Jarvis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Davis, this week.

No one could have wished for nicer weather for the Orange celebration on Saturday and Decoration day on Sunday, and the shower beforehand settled all the dust and did so much good.

W. H. Theaker has commenced the stone work of his funeral chapel, which will be a fine addition on the main street. The telephone company deserves credit for the improvement they have made in their buildings and lawn. The buildings, with their fresh coat of paint, look like new ones. Now, if everyone would try and keep unsightly paper off the streets, how much better they would look.

Mrs. Ross, Sr., who has been

NEW UNIFORMS CARRY DAY FOR LEATHERMEN

By BOB BENVILLE

"Twas a wild and woolly tussle as ever you did see, as the boys went on the rampage in a wild old hitting spree . . .

Thus died the Davis Leather ball team edge out an 11-10 victory over the Specialty in their scheduled round at the old ball park last Thursday eve.

The Davis boys stepped on the field sporting new uniforms and looked the part of a high-class ball team, but the Water St. lads were not to be fooled by appearances and went all out in their "civvies" to make a close bid for the decision.

We credit Bob Peters with the Tannery win. Bob not only pitched a grand game for his mates but contributed to the cause with a lofty home run over centrefield in the fifth inning.

The Wilsonites were in the van at the time 4-3, but Peters' border clout tied it up and sparked his team into getting seven more runs on a collection of 11 consecutive safeties from the offerings of "Red" Hooper, who, it seems, was getting a very bad inning out of his interior.

It was interesting to note that Peters came in with the first and last run of that 8-run splurge during the fifth and brought in the first run of the game in the second inning on Cliff Gunn's double to centre.

Mervyn Widdifield presented the officemen with their first tally in the same inning.

Pete Neufeld was our star selectee of the Specialty tribe. Pete must have visited the glue department before the game because he snared all three balls in his territorial centrefield and was mighty potent with the bat.

Ben Wilson revised his line-up by adding "Bunty" Evans and "Doc" Boyd. Evans covered the hot corner, while Doc patrolled short. Wilson himself entered the game as a pinch-hitter, cracking out a safety.

Stew "Tiny" Baker made his initial appearance also for the "Specials," and hit safely. So the Wilson strategy worked to perfection.

This made the sixth straight defeat for the losers, but they are far from discouraged. If they had support in the pitching department we are quite certain the four-team group would be pretty tough to figure out.

Davis Leather: G. Haskett, Fairley, W. Haskett, Peters, Turan, Bone, Gunn, Tansley, Wright.

Office Specialty: Gould, Evans, Neufeld, Boyd, Banks, Widdifield, Wesley, Hooper, Vandenberg.

Umpires: Bern. McHale and "Mickey" Smith.

Official scorer: Merv Broughton.

\$35.61 was given to that fund. Everyone reports a very successful day.

The officers and members of L. O. L. 902 appreciated very much all assistance given them during their celebration.

Tbos. Hayes of 902 has been an active member of the same lodge for the past 42 years. A. Madil has been an Orangeman for 61 years. Both these men marched with their lodge, L. O. L. 902, on July 12.

MOUNT ALBERT

"**Pig In A Poke**" Brings \$64 For War Victims

The bingo held by the Mount Albert Veterans on July 12 at the community park was a huge success. A total of \$71 was raised for the British war victims' fund.

Besides the bingo, another \$64 was raised on a draw for a pig donated by W. H. Theaker. This was won by Mrs. Wm. Moore of Zephyr. This money was also donated to the war victims' fund.

The committee, under the chairmanship of G. Calver, worked hard to make these affairs such a success, and expressed thanks to all who helped in any way. This will be the third contribution to this fund, a total so far of about \$160, since the beginning of the year.

"Ours is rather an exacting job and we all try to make things as pleasant as we can for the men passing through. We have moved out of Liverpool to place about ten miles from the city, as our barracks were rather badly banged up in the blitz and are really unfit to live in; in fact, some of the buildings will never be able to be used again.

"We were all very lucky to come through it all. The only casualty we had was one of our doctors and he was working in a first-aid post outside the camp. Fortunately, his injury was not serious.

"During the Saturday night raid I drove one of our trucks that we used as an ambulance, to take people whom we dug from the ruins of houses to the hospital. It was quite an exciting time for eight or nine nights.

"For four days and four nights I didn't have my clothes off. It was just a case of snatch a bit of sleep whenever possible. But that's all over now and we are in a nice quiet camp. It isn't quite completed as yet so you can

years ago, she made her home in Queensville and lived there until four months ago, when she was taken to York county hospital.

Surviving are three daughters, Martha and Mary of Queensville, and Annie of Toronto.

The funeral service was conducted on Monday by Rev. Hugh Shannon from the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose, Newmarket. Interment was made in Queensville cemetery.

Mrs. Whittaker was born at London, England, in 1869, and was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. Helsby. She married William Whittaker of London, England, who predeceased her a number of years ago.

Coming to Canada over 30

Leafs Team Will Play At Red Cross Event

Another evening of sport is being planned for the friends of the East Gwillimbury Red Cross. This year tables are to be set and a complete meal served, at Sharon Park, on Friday, July 25.

The supper, which will commence at 5:30 p.m., standard time, will be followed by a ball game, to commence at seven o'clock. The teams competing are none other than Con Smythe's Maple Leafs and a well-known Toronto commercial team. The game alone is bound to draw a crowd. Pitching for the commercial team will be Hilliard Lang, who pitched in the World's Series in Chicago last year. The program in the evening will also be excellent.

The new quota of knitting and sewing for this branch is quite heavy. The ladies in charge

would be glad to have more knitters volunteer to knit turtle-neck sweaters in khaki.

A generous donation, the sum of \$100, is to be given to this branch by G. B. Thompson. This welcome and much needed sum of money is being given through the Holland Landing unit. The sum will be used entirely for the making of clothing for the bomb victims. The branch expects in this way to send a shipment of at least double the money value of the donation. The branch were very grateful to Mr. Thompson.

BREAKS WRIST

Working on the farm of W. H. Wilmot at Sharon, Ben Nightingale fell and broke his left wrist on Tuesday of last week. He was treated by Dr. L. W. Dales at York County hospital.

Exciting Serial Starts At Strand Theatre

In co-operation with Hillsdale Dairy the management of the Strand theatre has arranged to give free a five-cent ice-cream cone to every boy and girl attending the first episode of the new, timely serial, which commences at this Saturday's matinee.

Each boy and girl will receive a coupon good for a free ice-cream cone at the Hillsdale Dairy, when making any other purchase, however small.

"The Spider Returns" is hailed as one of the timeliest chapter-plays ever filmed. It is said to be filled with the type of fantastic adventure, miraculous escapes and nerve-wracking suspense that serial fans love. It is the story of a mysterious secret enemy who seeks to destroy the nation's security by dynamiting national defence industries and murdering industrial executives.

Every boy and girl who attends this Saturday's matinee will receive an attendance card which will be punched upon admittance and the holders of cards punched 12 times will be eligible for the many valuable attendance prizes which will be given on the Saturday of the showing of the last episode.

"There will be no gasoline sold on Sundays or after 7 p.m. on other days," Mr. White warned.

"I think it is a good thing," said S. O. Marwood. "Although there is no real shortage, it will conserve our supply for future consumption. It is better to be safe. It will release thousands of young men in gasoline stations for active service or industrial war effort."

At Last Mount A. takes a tumble

Mount Albert had its first softball loss of the year last Thursday night on its home diamond. Keswick turned the trick 13-9.

"Flash" Hollett, the Boston hockey star, pitched for the lakeside visitors the last two innings.

The scheduled Willow Beach at Pine Orchard game for Friday night was off on account of rain.

Mount Albert did better on Monday night against Sharon, demolishing the Templars 14-8. Bill Morton pitched in the early innings for Mount Albert. The game was played at the Mount.

With Sharon in the lead, the management turned to Ken Mitchell, who held the visitors scoreless, and turned a deficit into a surplus.

Pine Orchard defeated Zephyr at Zephyr on Tuesday evening, by a score of 10-2. The game was fairly close until the last inning, when Morley Cook, the Pine Orchard pitcher, hit a home run with the bases full, adding the last four unneeded runs to their coniferous total.

C. E. Cunningham, Newmarket, refereed all games to the satisfaction of everybody.

**HARDBALL BOYS MAKE
SIMPLE REQUEST**

The hardball league is asking for three used lawn-mowers. Four are needed but one has already been given.

If you have an old lawn-mower around that you have no further use for, one that could be fixed up and put in use at the ball field, please phone or contact A. N. Belhgia or R. C. Morrison.

Hardball is a going concern in Newmarket, and the boys have a splendid diamond at the Stuart Scott school grounds, but they must have lawn-mowers to keep the grass down.

**CARRY TURK DOYLE TO
LAST RESTING PLACE**

Pallbearers at the funeral of Ernest A. (Turk) Doyle last Saturday morning were J. J. McCaffrey, Basil McFale, Ray Jolley, E. J. Donaldson, all of Newmarket, and Nap. Beauchamp and Eddie Tessier, both of

years ago, she made her home in Queensville and lived there until four months ago, when she was taken to York county hospital.

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Pallbearers were Messrs. J. Foster, P. James, J. Grant, J. Mullin, Wm. Mullen and H. Knights.

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Rev. Dr. W. D. Mackie conducted the service.

RED CROSS SENDS FIRST SHIPMENT TO NAMESAKE

REDACTED MEETING WILL TAKE FORM OF PICNIC

The Senior Ladies' Aid and Missionary Society of the Christian church are holding their regular monthly meeting in the form of a picnic at the church on Thursday, July 24, at 2:30 p.m. D.S.T.

The ladies of the Junior Ladies' Aid are invited to attend.